LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



APRIL 28, 2022

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 14, 2022

APRAXIA AWARENESS DAY

WHEREAS, Childhood Apraxia of Speech causes children to have significant difficulty learning to speak and is among the most severe speech deficits in children; and

WHEREAS, the act of learning to speak comes effortlessly to most children, but those with apraxia endure a lengthy struggle. Without appropriate speech therapy intervention, children with apraxia are placed at high risk for secondary impacts in reading, writing and spelling; and

WHEREAS, it is important to generate greater public awareness of Childhood Apraxia of Speech among community members, physicians, education professionals, policy makers and elected officials.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of County Commissioners in and for Lake County hereby proclaims

May 14, 2022

as Apraxia Awareness Day

and recognizes these children and their families for their effort, determination and resilience in the face of such obstacles.

JOHN R. HAMERCHECK, PRESIDENT

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